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We Wish our Readers A Happy and Prosperous New Year

Let Us Start

The New Year RIGHT

If a city or town is good enough to live in, and good enough to take a salary from, it should be good enough to buy in. If the teachers, the preachers, the professors, the firemen, the policemen and the civic servants want increased salaries, the most direct route to bring about that desired end is to keep the money circulation in the home town. If all the money in Canada ever got into the hands of one or two men, business in general would stagnate. The proper and healthy condition is to have money circulated so that everyone will, through his or her industry get some of it.

The first expectation of a producer is to be able to sell his crop after it has been grown.

To sell it he must have customers, with money, who are able to buy it. The further the producer is away from the consumer, the more the transportation costs. Farms near thriving towns and cities are more valuable than those which are isolated in the back woods. The best way to make backwoods farms valuable is to buy in the cities and towns near them.

Prosperous cities and towns are built up through proper co-operation between retail merchants and their customers. They must work together.

The customer requires the retail merchant, and the retail merchant requires the customer.

If customers send all their money away to mail order houses for staple goods and expect the corner store to live on the sale of lump chimneys, eggs and coal oil, they will awaken some day to find the little corner store closed. Goods when you want them and where you want them are worth more than goods thousands of miles away.

Ten cents' worth of toothache gum in the corner drug store in the home town is worth more to a suffering child with an aching tooth than ten tons of the same article in Hong Kong China.

Retail merchants endeavor to locate in places which are required. They have a double mission to perform; they buy goods to suit their customers, and they expect to make a living by selling and caring for them. The better service a retail merchant gives his customers, the better business he should receive in return. The service should be mutual, and the customer should be equally anxious to see that the retail stores in his city or town succeed.

The statement that by buying through mail order houses you are saving the middleman's profit on all you buy is only a

glaring deception, to say nothing whatever about the question of lack of loyalty to your home town. True economy and sound patriotism therefore, call upon every loyal citizen of Canada to patronize his home town and keep the wheels of commerce moving in the direction in which most persons can be mutually benefitted.

Creek Valley News

Sometime ago it was our happy lot to be present at Creek Valley school, on the occasion of their Christmas Tree Entertainment and we thoroughly enjoyed ourselves too. The items on the programme numbering some 30 odd, were each and every one delivered with grace and decision that reflects the greatest credit on their teacher, Mrs. Teetzel, and those others who were responsible. There were dialogues, solos, recitations, quartettes and choruses all so good, that it is impossible to say that one was any better than the other.

At the close of the entertainment the youngsters received bags of candies, pop-corn etc., and apples, and then the old youngsters lined up and got the same. Then we were all regaled on cocoa and cake till it was time to go home.

We have never at any time seen a school better trained either in entertaining or in general deportment.

We are in receipt this week of a communication from a party that would doubtless prove interesting reading to a large number of people, but as this communication is unsigned we regret our inability to publish it. It deals with a matter of cattle-rustling. Please sign your name to any communication that you desire published not for us to print, unless you say so, but as an expression of good faith.

KIRRIEMUIR, KOLUM

Intended for last week

Mr. and Mrs. Turill left Tue. to spend Xmas in Saskatoon. Mr. Kay left for Drinkwater Sask. to spend Xmas.

Mr. Morris is spending the holiday out of town.

It is with regret that the people of Kirriemuir bid goodbye to Dr. and Mrs. Emmett, the whole community will miss them both very much. Dr. and family have moved to Gainsburg Alta.

Mrs. Taillefer Jean, and Arlene have gone to Calgary to spend the winter with Mrs. VeLae Mrs. Taillefer's Daughter.

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A New Year's Motto

If you've anything good to say of a man,
Don't wait till he's laid to rest,
For the eulogy spoken when hearts are broken

Is an empty thing at best.
Ah! the blighted flower now drooping lonely
Would perfume the mountain side,
If the sun's glad ray had but shone today
And the pretty bud espied.

If you've any alms to give to the poor,
Don't wait till you hear the cry
Of wan distress in the wilderness,
Lest the one forsaken die.
Oh, hearken to poverty's sad lament,
Be swift her wants to allay;
Don't spurn God's poor from the favored door,

As you hope for mercy one day,
Don't wait for another to bear the burden
Of sorrow's irksome load;
Let your hand extend to a stricken friend
As he totters down life's road.
And if you've anything good to say of a man,

Don't wait till he's laid to rest;
For the eulogy spoken when hearts are broken

Is an empty thing at best.

News Of The World

The Erskine Review, a weekly paper published at Erskine Alta has changed hands and is now being published by Fred J. Slight of Camrose, a returned soldier.

Dr. H.L. Collins, of Edmonton is the newly elected president of the Great War Veterans Association Branch at Edmonton.

It is rumored that the mail-carriers of Toronto are again going to go on strike.

Col. Whitehead, chief of the Military Police at Quebec, has pleaded guilty to a charge of embezzlement in the sum of \$300.00 in the administration of the Quebec branch of the service. Sentence will be passed later.

Ten Million Francs is the estimated damage done by the floods that occurred recently in France.

The Xmas Tree given by the Union Sunday school Tuesday eve: was well attended by both old and young Rev. Wright as master of ceremonies was fine. The children were just splendid in their dialogues and pieces; every body had a good time. Buntly Baxter in his recitation (Flos Letter) was splendid, as Buntly is only five years old.

Rev. and Mrs. Wright came over for the Xmas Tree Mon. eve. going back to Monitor Tuesday.

"PSYCHE"

Does This Interest You?

From the Atlantic to the Great Lakes! Ocean liners will be able to make the trip when Canada puts through its next great national undertaking, the construction of a thirty foot channel through the St. Lawrence beyond Montreal to Morrisburg, Ont.

The whole story of the project, of the engineering difficulties attending it and of the diplomatic problem that must be settled with the United States before it is begun will be told in the Sunday Magazine Section of the New York Herald, on Dec. 21.

Read how Toronto, Hamilton, Kingston and other cities of Ontario will prosper by the successful conclusion of this undertaking, whereby vessels for Liverpool, London or any other European port can load at their wharves, and London can send her merchandise direct to Chicago.

Learn of the great water power developments that will result from the building of the immense dams by which the deep channel will be made.

Get posted on Canada's most important constructive scheme of the near future.

The W.A. will meet at the home of Mrs. Larder, on January the 9th.

As this is the first business meeting of the year, a full attendance of all members is requested.

Don't forget to attend the Masquerade Ball in the Big Hall to-night.

Local Happenings

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Ray Barnes, at Consort, Alta, on December 31st, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson spent the Christmas Holidays in Town.

The Annual Meeting of Horseshoe Ratepayers, will be held in the Horseshoe Schoolhouse, On January 10th, 1920, at 2 p. m.

On Tuesday the 23rd. Dec, the members of the Band presented Bandmaster Tarr, with a Brass Jardiniere, as a token of the appreciation and esteem. Mr. Tarr is a married man with a family, and his efforts to produce the best music from the band here are meeting with the approval of all who hear the band play. He is to be congratulated on the splendid results obtained through his untiring efforts.

Miss Helen Baxter was a visitor at Mr. and Mrs. Warner's for five days this week.

On Christmas Eve Monitor was again visited by the fury of the elements. This time by a very high wind, which carried everything loose before it. No damage is reported in this locality.

Miss Madge E. Baxter of Creek Valley was a visitor here for a few days this week.

Meet me at the Masquerade Dance in the Big Hall to-night.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. T. Tonneff, at Monitor, on December 17th, a daughter.

Stonelaw U.F.A. will hold their regular meetings as follows:

First Friday in the month at Minor Schoolhouse and the 3rd Friday in the month at Stonelaw Schoolhouse.

The Band Is Going To Play—at the Dance to-night.

LOST—In Monitor, on the 15th. of December a pair of gold rimmed spectacles in a case. Reward offered. Finder please leave at News Office.

CHANGE IN TRAIN SERVICE



Effective January 4th, 1920 there will be a general change in train service. Times for trains at MONITOR will be:

No. 617	No. 618
Daily ex. Sun.	Daily ex. Sun.
3.05 p.m.	arr. Monitor L.V. 12.40 a.m.
	arr. 11.40 a.m.

For further particulars apply to any ticket Agent.

J. E. PROCTOR,
District Passenger Agent
Calgary

This, however, does not alter the schedule at present existing on this branch on the C. P. R. Readers will do well to remember this.



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Canada's Task in 1920

The world can get along without many things which are, however, in general use, but it cannot get along without food, and particularly those kinds of food which Canada is specially adapted to produce; namely, wheat, meats, butter and cheese. The world needs food today just as badly as it did during the stern days of war, and Canada is pre-eminently in a position to supply that need. Hundreds of thousands of people in Europe are still existing on the ragged edge of starvation, and owing to the ravages of war they are not in a position to produce at home the food they must have in order to sustain life.

During the war, millions of people in Europe tasted the quality of our Canadian foodstuffs who had never even seen them, and possibly had never heard of them, before. Even if they were not in the dire straits in which they now find themselves they would relish the obtaining of our Canadian products in large quantities, and both as individuals and governments the nations of Europe are prepared to take all the food products of Canada which we can produce and they have it in their power to pay for.

Let it be repeated and emphasized—the world needs food and Canada is in a position to produce it and get the world's best price for it.

Under these circumstances, surely the lesson for Canada, and the people of Canada, is plain. It is to develop the food producing capacity of this Dominion to the highest degree. During the war greater production was urged and undertaken by our people as a work of patriotism, as an essential war-winning work. At one time we came perilously close to losing the war for want of food, but the people of Canada, the United States and Britain called to the call of greater production and saved the situation. By winning the war we saved civilization. But civilization is still in danger, because a hungry people are always ripe for revolution and the acceptance of all the wild theories of the Bolshevik and anarchist.

The call of patriotism is, therefore, still insisted that the people of Canada should in this new year devote their energies to greater production, no waste, simpler living. The practice of these policies and virtues is essential, not only to safeguard the

welfare of the world, but also to remedy the evils in our own land resulting from the excessively high cost of living.

But there is another aspect, a purely business one, to this question of greater food production. Our Canadian boys paid with their lives and their maimed bodies and broken health for the freedom we enjoy today, but there is a money obligation for us to meet for that freedom, and it is as bad to be a slacker in peace as in war. The national debt of Canada has increased enormously because of the war, but if everyone gets busy on production it will not be an intolerable burden.

As Dr. James W. Robertson recently said in an address at Winnipeg, the war has demonstrated to us the winning power of a great idea, the idea that our cause was a righteous one and must succeed, so that the freedom of the world might be safeguarded. What is needed now, he declared, is a great idea of the obligation to supply the world with food and thereby pay our debt, and that if this idea could be properly spread abroad, and took a hold of the people, we would succeed.

To the call of patriotism there is added, therefore, a sound business appeal to greater production. The man who puts forth his energies in the work of production will not only be doing a patriotic work, and rendering efficient service to Canada and to all mankind, but he will add enormously to the wealth and financial strength of Canada as a nation, and to his own prosperity as an individual.

Prices may not, probably will not, remain at their present abnormally high level, but in view of the present world shortage of food and enormous demand from Europe, it will be a long time, if ever, before prices will drop to their pre-war level. Before the war farmers were not getting what they earned, but in the future they must secure such a return and they can be assured of it this year and in the immediate future at all events.

The outlook for Canada is bright if our people turn with a will and devote their energies to greater production. We have 6,000,000 more acres of land ready for cultivation than before the war, our men are home again we have learned new and better methods, our country and its national services escaped the destruction which fell on other lands. All that is necessary for our Governments and individual citizens to unite and co-operate in a great national effort of greater production.

Greater production in all useful lines, and especially in food production, will, therefore, seem to be the one great task, the outstanding duty, the splendid opportunity, before Canada in this new year of 1920. It is an opportunity such as comes to few nations, and one which will not present itself again in all the fulness that is before us now.

Greater production is not only patriotic; but, let it be repeated, it is a business enterprise for Canada, this year especially. We mortgaged our country for the Great War; the mortgage has to be paid; we have the wherewithal to pay it if we will work and produce; there is a market and the world's best price for all we can produce—surely this should appeal to the patriotism and the keen business instinct of the people of Canada.

The soul that is not strong in solitude is not strong in a crowd.

Valuable Horse Crosses Atlantic

Sweetbriar Is Valued at Two Hundred Thousand Dollars

Sweetbriar, a brood mare valued at \$200,000, has arrived in America after a three weeks' voyage from France, and the railroad administration made an exception to its ban on special trains to allow the precious animal private accommodation to the home of the owner, Willis Sharpe Kilmer, at Binghamton, N.Y.

Five men attended the animal on the trip, including a veterinary surgeon to prescribe a diet. The stall on the boat was furnished with mattresses and bulwarked with bales of hay to prevent injury. With the mare was a seven-months-old foal, Sun Ray.

Like a Tidal Wave Heart Disease and Nerve Troubles Sweep the Country

Probably at no period in the world's history have heart and nerve troubles been so prevalent as they are today.

The heart can't stand the stress and strain of this busy, bustling age and the care and worry, the anxiety and activity of business life constitute a serious drain on the nervous system.

The business of this work-a-day world goes with such a rush that the stoutest hearts and strongest nerves break down under the strain.

On the first approach of any breakdown of the system Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills should be taken. The reconstructive power of these pills on the heart and nerve system is simply marvellous.

Mr. W. A. Wright, Hopewell Ave., Ottawa, Ont., writes: "After suffering for some time with my heart, I consulted a number of doctors, but got no relief. However, I read what Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills had done for others, who had the same symptoms and thought I would give them a trial. Believe me, six boxes cured me completely. I am feeling fine now, and can attend to my work every day. I can recommend your pills to anyone suffering as I did."

Price 50c a box. All dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

On the first glint of a candle stuck in a station window meant "stop"; its absence was a signal to go on.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

No less than 70,000 church and other bells were seized in Germany by the military authorities during the war and melted down to make cannon shells and other material. As a result of these sacrifices the belfries and steeples of German churches are now silent on Sundays.

Her Faded, Shabby Apparel Dyed New

"Diamond Dyes" Freshen Up Old, Discarded Garments

Don't worry about perfect results. Use "Diamond Dyes," guaranteed to give a new, rich, fadeless color to any fabric, whether it be wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods—dresses, blouses, stockings, skirts, children's coats, feathers, draperies, coverings—everything.

The Direction Book with each package tells how to diamond dye over any color.

To match any material, have dealer show you "Diamond Dye" Color Card.

A Mighty Domain

Canada the Last Great Anglo-Saxon Nation the World Can Ever See

Western Canada the last great Anglo-Saxon nation the world can ever see. The dimensions of its domain represent figures of enormity when it is realized that Canada West is as large as Britain, with several European countries in addition. A population in excess of fifty millions can be supported in Western Canada. At the present time the census statistics do not represent one twelfth of this number. Countless acres of first-class soil await development in crop producing areas. The entire question is summed up in a few words bespeaking what mighty power for good under the British flag this wondrous country will some day attain, if proper means are adopted to populate its immensity.—Athelney Evans.

W. N. U. 1296



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Great Demand For Alberta Fish

Companies Have Contracts for Half a Million Pounds of Whitefish

Planning to supply over one million pounds of whitefish during each season, the two new fishing companies at Buffalo Lake, Alberta, the Alberta Fish Company of Edmonton and the Big River Fish Company of Saskatchewan, have already been actively engaged in fishing operations since the season opened on December 1st. The first consignment of whitefish to arrive from the scene of operations at Buffalo Lake has already arrived in Edmonton, this being a shipment sent out by the Alberta Fish Company. This company began moving out the shipment on December 3, or three days after the season opened. Already these two companies have contracts for half a million pounds of whitefish in Alberta and Saskatchewan.

According to an official of one of the new companies, there is a shortage of whitefish in the smaller lakes this season, and the demand for the product is likely to be heavy. The first carload arriving is of the finest quality and commercially establishes the great value of Buffalo Lake as a future source of whitefish supply.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

British Prestige in the Air
The first air pilot to make a non-stop flight across the Atlantic was an Englishman; the first airplane to reach Australia from London was piloted by an Australian; the first dirigible airship to cross and recross the Atlantic was navigated by a British crew. Two daring Canadian aviators were among the half dozen air fighters whose names stand foremost in the records of the war. Altogether, the British Empire is doing not too bad, says the Ottawa Journal.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Stops Irritation. Soothes and Heals. You can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60c.

The Guard's Wish

The railway official tells a story of the tourist in Ireland who left the train at every station and went ahead to the luggage van to ask if his trunk was safe. After the sixth time the exasperated guard replied: "Begorra, I wish the Lord had made ye an elephant instead of an ass, an' then you'd always have your trunk in front of you."

If all women who look back were turned into salt pillars, the streets would be lined with statues.

"Review of the Bond Market in Canada for 1919"

Contents
Canadian Financial Conditions in retrospect. Trend of prices of Investment Securities. Comparative Statistics Bond Sales in the United States and Canada. 1919 Victory Loan figures. A reference booklet issued annually for investors in Canadian Securities.
Copy mailed free on request

DOMINION SECURITIES CORPORATION LIMITED
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Winnipeg's Building Program

More than \$20,000,000 of building operations will be started in Winnipeg, Manitoba, next year, according to a recent announcement. Indications point to the belief that Winnipeg will extend more in 1920 than in any other year in the history.

The city alone plans to construct improvements that will cost \$3,000,000.

LET "DANDERINE" SAVE YOUR HAIR

Get rid of every bit of that ugly dandruff and stop falling hair



To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff get a small bottle of "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter for a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub well into the scalp. After several applications all dandruff usually goes and hair stops coming out. Every hair in your head soon shows new life, vigor, brightness, thickness and more color.

Always Was Slow
Edith: Jack's been calling on me for six months. Don't you think it's time he proposed?
Maud: Oh, no! It was nearly a year before he proposed to me.

ONLY TABLETS MARKED "BAYER" ARE ASPIRIN

Not Aspirin at All without the "Bayer Cross"



For Colds, Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Toothache, Earache, and for Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sciatica, Neuritis, take Aspirin marked with the name "Bayer" or you are not taking Aspirin at all.
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and all a
Prosperous 1920**

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TOP PRICE
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NOTICE Annual School Meeting Monitor

The Annual Meeting of the
Ratepayers of the Monitor
School District will be held at
TWO O'CLOCK P.M. Wednesday
next, JANUARY SEVENTH,
1920 in the Schoolhouse, Mon-
itor. Business will include,
Presentation of Annual Re-
ports, and Election of TWO
Trustees.

Signed, W. S. Wickenden,
Secretary Treasurer.

Monitor School Report

Following is the standing of
the pupils in the Senior Room
for December 1919.

A. Steele 78 G. Ake 75 A.
Deadmarsh 71 T. Carrol 71 K.
Ake 71 R. Martin 70 L. Mar-
tin 69 W. Craig 67 G. Grace 67
B. Dore 66 D. Tinkess 66 L.
Tinkess 65 M. Deadmarsh 64
L. Tinkess 63 J. Likness 62
H. McDonald 57

HOWLERS!

A mountain range is a large
cook stove

Sixty gallons make a hedgehog
Typhoid is prevented by fascina-
tion

Epidermis is what keeps your
skin on.

A volcano throws out hot sal-
va

The days are shorter in winter
because cold contacts

A mont was something like a
wart that grew on the barons

A curve is a straight line that
has been bent

A triangle is a three cornered
circle.

A vacuum is an empty space
with nothing in it.

A miracle is something a per-
son does that can't be done

The heat of the torrid zone is
caused by the equator which
runs around the earth in the
middle—The Courier, Crystal
City.

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bility for the opinions of others as ex-
pressed in these columns.

No unsigned manuscript will be pub-
lished.

EDITOR and PUBLISHER

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ALERT ALTARIO

Once more Xmas has come
and gone with its gifts of
friendship and love and if one
may judge by the thronged
post-office, Altario folks receiv-
ed their share of the Xmas spir-
it that loves to express its sen-
timent in personal greeting
cards and substantial parcels
and boxes.

The great event of the week
for one and all was the Xmas
tree and Entertainment, when
Santa in person appeared and
related a wonderful dream he
had. His awakening to real
life took place on the school-
house stage where, for an hour
or so, he and his admirers held
the older folks entranced. The
jolly old gent realised all ex-
pectations and lived up to his
reputation as a giver of good
things, rejoicing the hearts of
lonesome bachelors with tin
trumpets and rattles besides
distributing toys galore to the
little Altarians. This causerie
is the most ambitious piece of
work ever yet staged by our
young people, and the verdict
of those most competent to
judge is that the performance
was a great credit to all con-
cerned. The time of training
is always an arduous experience
but we feel sure that both
Indies—Mrs J. D. Robinson and
Mrs. Almond—would be reward-
ed for their trouble if they
could hear the appreciatory re-
marks of the parents and spec-
tators.

We heard of the successful
evening at the Wheatshof
Schoolhouse when the "doings"
took the form of an old time
social gathering with games,
and cards and chin music. There
was abundance to satisfy the
inner man and the happy
sleighbells bobbed along in
the early hours of the morning
of Christmas guided by the star
of Bethlehem. It is to be de-
sired that this "get-together"
spirit be not evident at Xmas
only but throughout the whole
year—it would certainly make
for an entente cordiale between
mankind more than anything
else.

We wish you one and all a
Glad New Year, full of happi-
ness, Prosperity and the bless-
ings from above. The best
verse we have received for this
New year are the following,
Lillian Gray, authoress, which
continued in next column

we heartily wish for all friends
and readers of the MONITOR
NEWS.

The Newsmen.

Let us walk softly, friends;
For strange paths lie before us, all
untrod;
The New Year, spotless from the hand
of God

Is thine and mine, O friend!
Let us walk straightly, friend;
Forget the crooked paths behind us
now,
Press on with steadier purpose on
our brow.

To better deeds, O friend!
Let us walk gladly, friend;
Perchance some greater good than
we have known
Is waiting for us, or some fair hope
glow

Shall yet return, O friend!
Let us walk kindly, friend;
We cannot tell how long this life
shall last,
How soon these precious years be
overpast;

Let love walk with us, friend
Let us walk quickly, friend;
Work with our might while lasts
our little stay
And help some halting comrade on
the way;
And may God guide us, friend!

The following letter has been
received:

Dear Sir:

Replying to your communica-
tion dated Dec. 8th.

I am not yet in receipt of any
definite advice regarding our
service on your line. It is my
expectation that the train will
leave Coronation 6.00 a.m.
returning about 6.30 in the eve-
ning.

Yours truly,
J.E. Proctor,
District Passenger Agent.
C.P.R., Dec 15, 1919

ALTARIO LAUNDRY

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Best Work Guaranteed
Reasonable Prices Prompt Service
Price List on application
Suits Cleaned & Pressed

Fifteen hundred steel workers
voted unanimously to continue
the strike until the strike is
won, or officially declared off.

J. Enright, a brakeman on
the C. N. R. at Saskatoon, was
instantly killed on Christmas
day, by stepping in front of a
moving engine, being literally
cut in half.

WOMAN'S BEST LAXATIVE

Proved Every Day That Dr. Hamilton's Pills Are Just Right for Woman's Ills

Little wonder woman suffers so much from constipation. She always hesitates, continually puts off taking medicine.

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Is the Future With Airplanes?

Sir Percy Scott Says Battleships Are Obsolete

Admiral Sir Percy Scott, who six years ago foretold the ascendancy of the submarine, now declares that the battleship is obsolete, and that "the future is with the airplane." Some who differ from him imply that, admitting a certain amount of truth in the dictum, there is a suspicion also of a desire for sensationalism and for maintaining the character of the prophet. Let us see.

By the summer of 1918 the torpedoed airplane was becoming a serious proposition. Among the British plans, which included the bombing of Berlin, was a project for an attack on the German fleet by large numbers of airplanes, each carrying one torpedo. Already these craft had been employed in various theatres of war, but by the autumn of 1918 it was possible to prepare for their use on a large scale. It will be argued that battleships can defend themselves against aerial attack; and that is true. They also have the means of defense against submarine attack. But, as the experience of the war showed in one case, so it will prove in the other; the possession of a means of defense by no means connotes security. The submarine can attack unseen; the airplane will be able to make up for its visibility by numbers. It must be remembered, too, that the bombs and torpedoes contrived toward the end of the war were far more destructive, and the art of using them less uncertain.

Not to err on one side, it may be conceded that Sir Percy Scott's dictum is only a broad generalization, not to be taken too literally. Even so, it must be obvious that the military affairs of the nations have entered upon a new phase, and the plans of all the war offices will have accordingly to be modified. No one who now considers these questions can hope to arrive at any sound conclusion unless he divests himself of preconceived ideas. He must dismiss the conception of war as waged in the struggle of 1914-18, for throughout that war, despite the amazing developments of mechanical appliances, sea power and land power were the dominating factors — although toward the end, it is true, they were considerably affected by aircraft. But in any future great war the nations will start, not pledged and committed to sea or land operations; they will begin the conflict and end it in the air. Land forces will play a part, no doubt, and so also will ships, but the tune will be called by the fleets of the air.

The day of the sailor strategist and of the soldier strategist, who are nothing else, is past. Before the dawn

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of air power the one could at any rate exist without the other; but each is now intimately involved with the new arm, which must inevitably be the first arm.

The effect of this will not, in the writer's opinion, make war more common or more dreadful, although for a few years to come, at any rate, the temptation of striking a sudden unannounced blow may appeal to this brigand power or that. It will almost certainly shorten the struggle. But so delicate are the problems raised, and so intricate are the considerations that must be weighed, that almost certainly the responsibility of making war will be too heavy to face. Many people thought that in 1914 they were mistaken; and they are now cynical as to the future. It is to be hoped their cynicism is not justified, and that the new factor will indeed make any civilized power anxious to avoid war. It is for the world to see that there are no uncivilized powers, and that the brigand nations are kept in subjection.

What makes the problem of air-power so extremely intricate and delicate is the comparative secrecy in which it can be developed under cover of commercial aircraft development; and, above all, the brief manufacturing period. A big aircraft program can be conceived and made effective in 12 months, once a considerable manufacturing and training nucleus exists; and this is swift as compared with the lengthy and necessarily overt building up of sea-power.

How will the nations approach this problem? The future may lie with the most alert, with the one quickest to abandon old ideas, and which first appoints a board of air strategy. One could almost wish now to start anew and face the future without any commitments or prejudices from the past; and the danger to the nations victorious in the late struggle is that they may be self-complacent and apt still to lean on the arms that gave them victory. The warning is obvious. France appears to heed it already. — Christian Science Monitor.

Eastern Canadian Birds

Publication by the Geological Survey
Department of a Volume
on Birds

Bird lovers will welcome the publication by the Geological Survey department at Ottawa of a volume on "Birds of Eastern Canada." It covers all the birds that the ordinary observer is likely to meet with between the Atlantic and the prairies. These differ very largely from birds of the east and the open country on the prairies. The volume is beautified with pictures of a large number of species in their natural colors.

The author, P. A. Favermer, says that the object of the publication is to stimulate interest, both aesthetic and practical, in the study of Canadian birds, and to suggest the sentimental, scientific and economic value of such study; to assist in the identification of native species; and to furnish the economist with a ready means of determining bird friend from bird foe.

He tells how to attract birds by guaranteeing for them protection against injury and by supplying food in the winter time. The migrating of birds in the spring and fall he attributes partly to the waxing and waning of the food supply, but he says there are probably other causes not yet understood.

Alberta Hail Losses

Million Dollars, Half of It Incurred
By Companies

Alberta's losses from hail during the present year are estimated at about \$1,000,000, of which \$500,000 was covered by the municipal hail insurance scheme and the other half by the straight insurance companies. At a recent meeting of the municipal hail insurance board, held in Calgary, it was reported that the total insurance carried was about \$1,200,000, with losses of a little over \$500,000. The premium rate was fixed at 6 per cent, which will figure out at 48 cents per acre for \$8 insurance, and 36 cents per acre for \$6 insurance. Over 90 per cent of the insurance carried was at the 8 per cent.

In the Hawaiian Islands, where some of the natives do not enjoy the advantages of buckets, clumsy long bamboo logs are used to carry water.

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Giant Dirigibles

Keels Laid for Ships of 5,000,000
Cubic Feet

In view of the fact that the United States navy has put in an order for a 2,000,000 cubic foot rigid dirigible to be constructed by England, a few facts relative to England are pertinent. English dirigibles patterned after the approximate plan of the German Zeppelins have been constructed to a size of 2,700,000 cubic feet. The speed of ships of this size is about 75 miles per hour, and their endurance about 175 hours. This gives a possibility of a cruising radius of over 13,500 miles, more than half the distance around the earth.

Ships of still greater size and capacity are already being constructed in England, keels have been laid for ships of 5,000,000 cubic feet, and all new hangars in England are being constructed to accommodate ships up to that size.

Airships of still greater size are contemplated, and plans for a 10,000,000 cubic foot dirigible ship have been completed in England. Its length would be about 1,100 feet, slightly less than one-fourth of a mile, while the total lift of the gas would be more than 300 tons, and the full lift would be approximately 200 tons. This useful lift could be used for transportation of troops and equipment, or for a cruising radius of over 20,000 miles, if such were desirable.

Among old laws against kissing, those of Iceland appear to have been the most severe. Banishment was the penalty laid down for kissing another man's wife, either with or without her consent, and the same punishment was enforced for kissing an unmarried woman against her will.

The crater of Mauna Loa, Hawaii's famous volcano, is 20 miles in diameter. At times the stream of lava issuing from it is 50 miles long.

The 66 books of the Bible were written by 40 men during a period of 1,600 years.

YES! MAGICALLY! CORNS LIFT OUT WITH FINGERS

You simply say to the drug store man, "Give me a quarter of an ounce of frezzone." This will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn from one's feet.

A few drops of this new ether compound applied directly upon a tender, aching corn should relieve the soreness instantly, and soon the entire corn, root and all, dries up and can be lifted out with the fingers.

This new way to rid one's feet of corns was introduced by a Cincinnati man, who says that, while frezzone is sticky, it dries in a moment, and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin.

Don't let itather die of infection or lockjaw from whitening at his corns, but clip this out and make him try it.

A Diplomatic Prince

The Prince of Wales in reply to an address of welcome told the American people: "Your aims are as democratic as ours." Now, could Mr. Balfour or John Morley have improved on that?—Toronto Star.

How to Purify the Blood

"Fifteen to thirty drops of Extract of Roots, commonly called Mother Seigel's Carative Syrup, may be taken in water with meals and at bedtime, for the cure of indigestion, constipation and bad blood. Persistence in this treatment will effect a cure in nearly every case. Get the genuine at druggists."

W. N. U. 1296

Seed Growing Industry Of British Columbia

Farm and Garden Seed Valued at
Over \$50,000 Grown in Province

The seed growing industry of British Columbia has seen great advances during the past two or three years. Last year it is estimated, farm and garden seed valued at over \$50,000 was grown in that province, chiefly at mainland points, and disposed of to buyers of Eastern Canada. This year the value of the product will be much greater, though at present no reliable data thereon is available.

British Columbia is considered to be an ideal place for seed production, and in all varieties the excellence of the product grown there has been demonstrated; the demand from eastern points being especially keen.

Annual seed fairs have done much towards arousing the interest of the farmers of the province. The seed fair this year which is to be held at Kamloops, B.C., will be the biggest thing of its kind ever held in the province. Last year the seed fair at Kelowna, B.C., was a great success, and aroused much interest among the growers.

Asthma Cured To Stay Cured

Thousands Testify to the
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One of the finest discoveries in medicine was given to the public when "Catarrhazone" was placed on the market about fifteen years ago. Since then thousands have been cured of asthma and catarrh. An interesting case is reported from Calgary in a letter from Creighton S. Thompson, who says:

"Nothing too strong can be said for Catarrhazone. I suffered four years from asthma in a way that would beggar description. I went through everything that man could suffer. I was told of Catarrhazone by a clerk in Findlay's drug store and purchased a dollar package. It was worth ten times the price in a week, and I place a priceless value on the benefit I have since derived. I strongly urge every sufferer to use Catarrhazone for Asthma, Bronchitis and Catarrh."

The one-dollar package lasts two months; small size, 50c; sample size, 25c; all storekeepers and druggists, or the Catarrhazone Co., Kingston, Canada.

Tour to Bermuda

Personally Conducted Tour to Hamilton, Bermuda, Via the Canadian National

The tourist and travel bureaus of the Canadian National Railways have arranged a personally conducted tour to Hamilton, Bermuda, leaving Winnipeg via the Canadian National train Saturday, January 17th, at 3:30 p.m. From Winnipeg, standard electric-lighted steel sleepers will be operated to Toronto, and thence to New York via Niagara Falls, arriving at New York Tuesday morning, January 20th. Accommodation is being reserved at the Pennsylvania Hotel, New York, until the departure of the steamer "Fort Hamilton" the following day, January 21st, arriving at Bermuda Friday morning, January 23, where accommodation is being reserved at the Hamilton Hotel.

The first-class fare from Winnipeg to Bermuda and return runs from \$186 to \$226, according to location and number in room on the steamer. Twenty-five rooms are being held by our Winnipeg office, corner Main and Portage, where those desiring to take advantage of this delightful tour can select the cabin desired and also reserve berths on the sleepers to New York.

This is intended only as a reminder. It is impossible to properly describe beautiful and delightful Bermuda in a few words, but pamphlets may be had on application to our tourist and travel bureau, and detailed information and reservation of all accommodation desired made at the same time.

The number who can be accommodated is necessarily limited, and early application should be made for accommodation. The cabin accommodation on the various steamers from all Eastern Atlantic ports will be taken up well in advance, as this short ocean trip from New York to a winter climate of 70 degrees Fahrenheit appeals to many people in the East.

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Instead of paying high prices for dresses and suits, buy the certain and sure plan, the "Genuine" Adjustable Dress, and you will have a new dress every week for a very small price. Buy your dress from the "Genuine" Adjustable Dress Co., 64 Adelaide Street East, Toronto. You will be interested in the "Genuine" Adjustable Dress. Buy it now. Address: Book, 64.

Salt Lake Is Saltier

Great Salt Lake, which is lower than it has been at any time since 1909, is saltier than it has ever been. The absolute amount of salt in the lake probably does not vary appreciably and has not varied since it was first seen by white men, but since the amount of water varies with evaporation and precipitation, the relative salinity increases as the level falls.

Colds Cause Headaches and Pains

Feverish Headaches and Body Pains caused from a cold are soon relieved by taking LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c.

Great Activity

In Farm Lands

Signs Indicate That Land Values Will Double

Great activity in farm lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, with the biggest demand that has been in evidence for several years, is reported.

Farm lands are changing hands rapidly, but the purchasers are, for the most part, local men who know the land and have had an opportunity during the summer to inspect it and to ascertain what it will produce. One feature of the land movement is that fifty 80 per cent of the purchasers are men who will actually farm the land themselves.

During the last six months land values have advanced fully 20 per cent, continues the report. In the three prairie provinces the prevailing prices at which these properties are changing hands are from \$50 to \$60 per acre for improved land, and from \$30 to \$35 per acre for unimproved tracts, with possibly a difference of \$5 per acre for Manitoba lands. There will be an era of road building next year, and signs indicate that land values will double.

There is no wisdom like frankness. —Disraeli.



Could Not Sleep

Mr. Earnest Clark, Police Officer, 338 King St., Kingston, Ont., writes:

"For three years I suffered from nervousness and sleeplessness. I believe my condition was brought about by overwork. I had frequent headaches, neuralgic pains and twitching of nerves and muscles. I had indigestion, was short of breath and easily tired. I commenced a treatment of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and seven boxes of this medicine cured me of all my symptoms. I am now feeling one hundred per cent better than I was, and have to thank Dr. Chase's Nerve Food for the good health I am now enjoying."

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, 6 for \$2.75, all dealers, or Edman, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.



U. S. Senate May Soon Reach An Agreement

Washington.—Although Republican and Democratic senators continued their conference on peace treaty reservations, there were no concrete results, and the leaders said they expected none for some days. There was a general feeling of confidence, however, that by the time the holiday recess ends, on January 5, the basis for an agreement will have been reached.

Drafts of proposed changes in the reservations framed by the senate majority at the last session were talked over by Senator Lodge, the Republican leader, and Senator Len Root, of Wisconsin, a leader of mild reservation group Republicans.

They said the conference was of a genial nature, and that no final agreement on phraseology was reached.

It was emphasized in all quarters that the negotiations still were in a nebulous state and that many signs from many sources would be considered before there was any attempt to make a binding agreement.

Alberta Cities Want Complete Local Autonomy

Mayors of Four Principal Towns
Meet to Draw Up Home
Rule Bill

Calgary.—Mayors of Alberta's four principal cities are in conference here for the purpose of formulating a home rule bill for cities, to be presented at the next session of the provincial assembly. The proposed bill will ask for complete local autonomy for cities in all matters of local interest, including money bylaws and certain branches of taxation.

The conference is attended by the following: R. C. Marshall, mayor of Calgary, chairman; Alderman S. H. Adams, of Calgary; Mayor Jos. Clarke and Alderman J. East, Edmonton; Mayor M. A. Brown and Alderman W. Huckle, Medicine Hat; Mayor W. D. Hardie and Commissioner Freeman, Lethbridge. C. H. Ford, solicitor for the city of Calgary, is acting in an advisory capacity.

Liquor Agents Active

Manitoba Towns Want to Open
Places on the Saskatchewan
Border

Winnipeg.—As a result of the rescinding of the order-in-council, the offices of the local liquor license department are being besieged by persons desiring to know if the opening of liquor warehouses in the city and province is possible. Numerous requests from Saskatchewan have been received by the department desiring information regarding the permissibility of establishing liquor warehouses in many of the border towns for the purpose of catering toward the Saskatchewan patrons.

Among the towns mentioned are Reston, Virden, Rivers, Elkhorn, Russell, Binscarth and Dauphin.

According to J. N. McLean, liquor administrator, quoting from the Manitoba Temperance Act, as the opening of bonded export liquor warehouses must be confined to cities, these requests must all meet with refusal.

Fatal Railway Accident in France

Lille.—Fifteen persons were killed and 35 injured in a rear-end collision just outside Douai, eighteen miles south of here, when a freight train crashed into a passenger train which was standing at the station. The engineer of the freight train, who is said to have run by a stop signal, escaped unhurt, but blew out his brains with a revolver after giving assistance to the injured passengers.

To Call Halt to White Terror
Berlin.—The Vorwarts and Freiheit publish an appeal from the board of directors of the German-Austrian Social Democratic party to the working classes of other countries, particularly those of the entente nations, to demand that their governments call a halt to the white terror in Hungary.

Confidence in French Government

Vote Carried Approval of Premier
Clemenceau's Program

Paris.—The Chamber of Deputies voted confidence in the government, 458 to 71.

The vote, which carried approval of Premier Clemenceau's program, was taken after the chamber had listened to the Premier's declaration on the determination of the allies to crush Bolshevism, his confidence in the Anglo-Franco-American pacts, his prediction of a solution of the Fiume problem, and his understanding with Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain.

In his speech to the chamber, M. Clemenceau told the chamber that Great Britain and President Wilson had offered military pacts. Certain points in the peace treaty had been questioned, but there were no serious objections to the military agreement.

The Premier added that the latest indications were that the Fiume situation would be solved, "and then only can we breathe freely."

M. Clemenceau appealed to the chamber to work hard and talk little. He said the cabinet at the end of the remaining weeks of tenure of office would give its resignation to the president, and added: "It will not be an exit by one door to enter another."

Obstacle to Ratification

Commission Is Not Yet Prepared to
Carry Out Terms of
Treaty

Paris.—It was pointed out that a considerable obstacle to final ratification of the Versailles peace treaty exists in the fact that the commission headed by General Lerond, is not yet ready to meet and prepare for carrying out the terms of the treaty. There has yet to be adjusted the matter of the transportation of allied troops to replace German forces in territory subject to transfer of allegiance in order to prevent trouble and preserve order.

Arrangements to this end, it is anticipated, will take some time, and the possibility of making the treaty effective virtually at once depends upon whether the allies will want to take any chances of leaving those territories without protection.

Reds Report Big Captures

Bolsheviks Claim Capture of Several
Towns and Many Prisoners

London.—A Bolshevik communication received from the region of Bakhmut, about 125 miles east of Yekaterinoslav, says:

"After fierce fighting with the troops of Gen. Mamontoff and Gen. Shkuro, our cavalry flung the enemy back to the south and the Reds occupied Staroniesk town. From November 20 to December 20 the Reds occupied 125,000 square versts of territory, together with Kiev, Kharkov, Poltava and 39 smaller towns, and captured 5,289 soldiers and officers."

"On the Turkestan front the Reds have occupied Balashan, southeast of Krasnovodsk and captured 500 prisoners."

Flavelle Gives Quarter Million
Toronto.—Sir Joseph Flavelle handed his cheque for \$250,000 to the trustees of the Toronto General Hospital as a contribution toward lifting the present debt of \$835,000 from that institution. Sir Joseph contributed \$100,000 some years ago.

Strike Continues

Madrid.—Dispatches received here from Vigo announce that the general strike continues. Bombs were exploded in two factories at midnight, causing extensive damage. There were no victims, however.

Children's Festival Ends in Mad Riot

Thousands of Uninvited Guests Cause
of Heart-rending scenes in New
York Armories

New York.—Thousands of uninvited children, for whom no gifts were provided, crowded their way into the 71st Regiment Armories Tuesday night and threw New York's largest children's Christmas festival into a riot. During the height of the uproar fourteen thousand youngsters were in a mad scramble for their share of presents which were stacked up on tables for distribution to seven thousand needy kiddies, who had been invited.

Police reserves from precincts, aided by the army detail of soldiers, were unable to check the wild onrush. Several women fainted and scores of children, some of them on crutches, were bowled over as the youngsters rushed about the floor. No semblance of order was obtained until thousands of youngsters had been rushed into the streets, where, separated from their chaperons and mothers, many of them hungry and without gifts, tearfully clamored to be taken to their homes. Less than 50 per cent. of them managed to get a gift package in the melee.

The trouble started when clowns made their appearance on the armory floor. Children, who had been assigned to places in the building, rushed out on the floor in mass formation and crowded about the merry-makers, to take advantage of the disorder to help themselves from the gift table, and in a minute the rush was on.

The policemen present were literally swept off their feet, additional reserves were summoned and a bugler sounded the assembly call, bringing to the rescue the uniformed armory detail. Children fought and scratched each other for the possession of dolls and other toys in the packages of presents. One freckled, red-faced youth, wearing an abbreviated army coat, was seen to carry away eight packages under his arm. Order was not restored until thousands of children had been "driven into the street by main force."

The juvenile festival was staged by the People's Liberty Chorus and the police department to provide entertainment and gifts for needy children.

Yellow Fever Will Soon be Wiped Out

Chairman of Commission Says the
Disease Has Been Eradicated
in Parts

New York.—Yellow fever will be wiped off the earth within five years, it was asserted by Dr. T. C. Lister, chairman of the yellow fever commission which went to Peru and Ecuador in 1918, upon his arrival here from Havana on the steamer Esperanza.

Already the disease has been eradicated from Central America, he said, although it still rages in Southern Mexico and a portion of Brazil. The committee stamped out the epidemics of the fever in Salvador, Honduras and Nicaragua, Dr. Lister said.

Emp'oyment of Disabled Men

Application Is Made By G.W.V.A. for
a Charter in Winnipeg

Winnipeg.—Announcement of the application of the Great War Veterans' Association for a charter incorporating the association in a venture to assist disabled men to the extent of \$500,000 was made by Lieut. Leo Warde, chairman of the legislative committee of the Great War Veterans' Association. Mr. Warde announced that the charter will permit establishment and operation of a factory in Winnipeg for the employment of disabled men on woodwork and kindred trades.

Reforestation of Manitoba's wooded territory and a more progressive highway policy, are among the objects the association is setting out to bring about. Mr. Warde declared, when interviewed.

The planet Mars is never nearer to the earth than 36,000,000 miles.

W. N. U. 1296

Opposition To Irish Bill Is In Evidence

Admiral Sims Declines Honor

Discontent Showing in the U.S. Navy
Over the Arrangement of
Awards

Washington.—Rumblings of dissension within the navy and the way Secretary Daniels has arranged the awards of decorations of war service came to the surface when it became known that Admiral Sims, former commander of the American naval forces in European waters, had declined to accept the Distinguished Service Medal while the awards remain as at present.

Coming as the climax to published charges that Secretary Daniels had rearranged the whole list of awards, rising some officers to higher distinction than recommended and "blue pencilling" others, the publication of Admiral Sims' action created a new sensation in the navy department and added a new chapter to the long contest in which some naval officers have complained of the secretary's administration of affairs and others have defended him with equal vigor.

The Admiral does not ask that the highest award be taken from any officer upon whom it already has been conferred, but he does ask for a revision of the award on lesser decorations.

To Help Returned Men

Citizens' League of Winnipeg Asking
Employers to Give Work to
Veterans

Winnipeg.—The Citizens' League is out to help the war veterans to get all the work there is available in this city. They have sent out 1,200 questionnaires to the employers asking where men can be employed. It is asked that the employers state the number of their employees, their classification and the total of returned soldiers now engaged. The future possibility of employment is solicited for the next four months, as well as the likelihood of preference being given to qualified veterans.

A reply is also requested from the firms as to whether they are willing to replace married women whose husbands are earning money, or independent single girls with good homes, by returned soldiers with dependents. The Army and Navy Veterans are also in the effort to get the returned men work and will start a personal canvass of business houses with this end in view, on January 5.

Farmers' Government

For Dominion

Westminster Gazette Says Agrarian
Control Is Possible in Next
House

London.—The Westminster Gazette, discussing the Canadian tariff revision program, sees a probability of agrarian control in the next House of Commons in which case the rule of the protected manufacturers as a statutory privileged class will assuredly come to an end, and the fiscal policy of the Dominion cease to be framed in the interest of a class long dominant at Ottawa.

Gratitude to Y.M.C.A.

London.—The Daily Telegraph, alluding to the huge deficit which the Young Men's Christian Association incurred in the war, says the nation must bear the brunt of the burden if the activities of the association are to be continued and expanded. As the first step, the deficit must be wiped out as an act of gratitude. There is plenty of money for extravagance, and the plea in this case is that it will discharge a "debt of honor."

Empress Seriously Ill

Geneva.—Former Empress Zita, of Austria, is reported to be seriously ill with pneumonia at Prangins.

London.—The Daily Herald, Labor organ, quotes opinions on the government Home Rule plan. Arthur Griffith, founder of the Sinn Fein organization and acting president of the Irish republic, said: "There is nothing for Irishmen to discuss. The Premier's proposals are not intended to be operative, but are made to affect and mislead opinion in the United States."

George Russell, the Irish poet, declared: "There is nothing in the proposals calculated to produce reconciliation, and there is no reason why the Sinn Fein should cease working for the destruction of the British Empire. Under Lloyd George's proposals Great Britain would retain complete control over taxation, the trade policy and economic development of Ireland, which means that Ireland would be given no self-government but certain administrative powers."

William O'Brien, secretary of the Irish Labor party and trades union congress, said: "The plan is unworthy of serious consideration. It is manifestly for export only."

World's Crops Show Big Shortage

Nearly Two Hundred Million Bushels
of Wheat Below Last
Year

Ottawa.—A cablegram received from the international institute at Rome gives the following official crop report:

Total production of wheat in 1919 in Denmark, Spain, France, Great Britain, Italy, Netherlands, Rumania, Switzerland, Canada, United States, India, Japan, Algeria and Tunis is 2,074,753,000 bushels, against 2,238,100,000 in the same countries in 1918, and 2,150,000,000 is their average annual production in the five years 1913-1917.

The production of rye in Denmark, Spain, France, Italy, Netherlands, Rumania, Switzerland, Canada and the United States is 189,100,000 bushels, against 189,500,000 in 1918, and a five years' average of 150,500,000.

The production of barley in Denmark, Spain, France, Great Britain, Italy, the Netherlands, Rumania, Switzerland, Canada, United States, Japan, Algeria and Tunis is 598,000,000 bushels, against 678,000,000 in 1918, and a five years' average of 602,000,000.

The production of oats in the same countries as for barley is 2,034,340,000 bushels, against 2,402,000,000 in 1918, and a five years' average of 2,233,000,000.

The production of potatoes in England and Wales, Scotland, Netherlands, Italy, Canada, Switzerland and the United States is 792,638,000 bushels, against 900,800,000 in 1918, and a five years' average of 765,800,000.

The production of flax seed in Italy, Rumania, Canada, United States, India and Japan is 26,340,000 bushels, against 43,700,000 in 1918, and a five years' average of 43,500,000.

Safe Conduct for Undesirables

Washington.—An explanation of the deportation of the 249 Russians on the transport Bufort was cabled by the state department to various foreign capitals.

The message said precautions had been taken to request for their safe conduct and humane treatment at the hands of the authorities under whose jurisdiction they will pass en route to Soviet Russia.

15,000 Escape Punishment

Ottawa.—The number of deserters under the Military Service Act who are still at large, and who will be set at liberty by the proclamation of amnesty for military offenders, is believed to be 15,000. The figures for the eastern military districts, which were the only ones available, are 12,308.

No figures are immediately available showing the number of deserters in prison at the present time.

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G. W. V. A. NOTES

Meeting Dec. 27th decided to celebrate first birthday of Monitor local G. W. V. A. on Jan. 29th 1920 by banquet for members and families followed by dance in evening.

Report from Prov. delegate to effect that resolution adopted by local branch re stationing of branches S. C. R. in outlying districts have been referred to prov. res. committee.

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LOCAL ITEMS

The O. N. O. Girls Club of Monitor wish to thank all those who so heartily assisted in making the Christmas Tree entertainment the success it was.

Dr. E. J. Bridgman will be at the Monitor Hotel January 6th and 7th.

See ad for full particulars

The NEWS, on behalf of the whole community, takes this opportunity of extending sincere thanks to the O. N. O. Girls Club for their splendid success in their Xmas Tree entertainment. It would indeed, have been a sorry Xmas-time for the kiddies if Santa Claus had passed by the village and not called.

The regular meeting of the O. N. O. Girls Club will be held on Jan. 7th at 8 o'clock at the home of Miss Annie Martin.

Members please be present.

Basin Lake

School closed on Dec. 23rd and will re-open on January 5, 1920.

The trustee has re-engaged Mr. Teetzel for 1920 and the district is distinctly fortunate in securing him. The children being almost entirely of non-English speaking races, are always more difficult to understand, but the present teacher evidently has the ability for the Inspector, towards the end of October reported he was "greatly pleased at the progress made by the pupils in learning to read and write English, caused mainly by the tact and sympathy of the teacher"

A few of the children got out for the Monitor school party and very keen on the games. From reports received Basin Lake is decidedly more windy than either Monitor or Creek Valley.

A huge Xmas party gathered at the home of Sam Woroboo on Xmas day and had a high old time.

The school attendance for Dec. reached the high average of 98 per cent.

Re C. P. R. ad, re change of service, appearing on the front page, please note the effective date of change is Jan. 18th and not the 4th.

Creek Valley News

School report for December.
Grade 8. M. Lewis 72 S. Teetzel 70 Sophia Buckway 66 S. Buckway 60 M. Lewis 55 J. Buckway 55

Grade 7 M. Teetzel 75 A. Helgerson 65 G. Lewis 60 Mudge Baxter 50.

Grade 6. A. Dibble 60 L. Bush 55
Grade 4. T. Teetzel 70 F. Buckway 68 D. Buckway 65 J. Osavitsky 60 M. Bush 60 J. Baxter 60 T. Baxter 55

Grade 3. Georgie Baxter 70 H. Baxter 65 C. Dibble 55.

Grade 1. A. Bush 70 N. Grayburn 60 P. Buckway 58
Primers C. Bush 70 M. Osavitsky 65.

The school closed on Dec. 19th and will re-open on January 5.

The Secretary's appeal for a New Years Dance organizer has failed to bring out any one with the requisite amount of push, so the next appeal is to the ladies. The Secretary will see that there is music. All the other details are attended to, so, ladies, the Sec. confidently count on one, two or more of you getting together, and showing these mere males the way. The secretary's duties during January as official auditor for the Monitor district will prevent his undertaking that job in that month—hence his appeal for help.

Mrs. Teetzel has undertaken the heavy task of teaching the Creek Valley school for 1920. 32 scholars on the roll. A frequent winter attendance of 26 pupils and eight grades is no light task for one teacher, and the trustees feel that the Inspector's report of "The teacher shows excellent organization and planning—giving the children real and beneficial instruction", is well deserved.

New Years Wishes

We wish to thank you all for your patronage during the last year

We hope to give you as good or better service in the coming year

Wishing you all prosperity and a Bumper crop.

KENNEDY DRUG COMPANY

MONITOR

ALBERTA

We wish to thank the people of this district for the hearty support given us in the year just closed and hope to merit a continuance of their patronage in the New Year only more so. Given the wholehearted support of the people of this district we expect to make absolutely unnecessary the sending of one cent out of town.

GET THE HABIT

Come in and look around if we have what you want and you don't come in that's your fault. If you come in and we can't sell you what you want that's our fault sometimes Get the Habit.

Monitor Cash Grocery

Ferguson & Co.

A Prosperous New Year to You

We thank our patrons for their Patronage in 1919 and trust for a continuation of it.

LUCAS and EHLINGER
QUALITY & SERVICE
Hardware & Farm Implements

Stonewall U.F.A.

A good attendance was in evidence at the Sixth Annual Meeting of the Stonewall Local U. F. A. held at Minor School on Friday Dec. 19th. The business of the evening being the discussion of resolutions to be brought up at the Annual U. F. A. Convention to be held at Calgary on Jan. 20th. to 23rd inclusive; also the election of officers for the ensuing year. The following officers were elected Pres. Daniel Nelson, Vice-Pres. Martin Thompson Sec. Treasurer. T. H. Noad. Directors: T. J. Buckley, L. P. Dickason, L. Seeman, Geo. Hazelwood, W. Sinclair. T. H. Noad, was elected as delegate to the T. F. A. Convention at Calgary.

It was also decided to hold an entertainment and dance for the purpose of raising funds for the U. F. A. Political Campaign. The date to be announced later.

CHANGE IN TRAIN SERVICE



Effective January 18th, 1920 there will be a general change in train service. Times for trains at MONITOR will be:

No. 617	No. 618
Daily ex. Sun.	Daily ex. Sun.
3.05 p.m.	arr. Monitor Lv. 12.40 p.m.
	arr. 11.40 a.m.

For further particulars apply to any ticket agent.

J. E. PROCTOR,
District Passenger Agent
Calgary

This, however, does not alter the schedule at present existing on this branch on the C. P. R. Readers will do well to remember this.

Estimates of

German Shipping

Discrepancy of 100,000 Tons Between Reports on Reparation Question

German claims in connection with settlement of peace terms' details were again before the supreme council recently. In dealing with these the council reached a unanimous agreement to permit the Germans to collect their customs duties in gold. In a further discussion of the question of the sinking of the German warships at Scapa Flow a discrepancy was developed between the estimates of the reparation committee and those of the German experts regarding the total of mercantile tonnage and floating docks available for reparation purposes at German ports. This discrepancy amounted to about 100,000 tons.

"SYRUP OF FIGS"

CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from little stomach, liver and bowels



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear. Mother! You must say "California."

Lake Erie produces more fish to the square mile than any other body of water in the world.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

"I refused this poem six weeks ago," said the editor. "Why do you again submit it?"

"I thought perhaps your taste had improved by this time," replied the poet, with a gleam of satisfaction in his eyes.

Killed By Blood Poisoning

Of an old razor for paring his corns. Foolish, because a 25c bottle of Putnam's Corn-Extractor will cure all the corns in a family for a year. Safe, because purely vegetable. Use only Putnam's Extractor, 25c at all druggists.

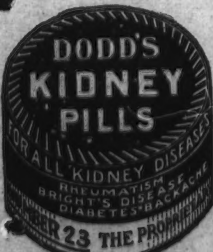
Canada's War Balance

Great Britain Is Now In Our Debt For \$200,000,000

An adjustment of accounts between the Canadian and the British Governments resulting from the war is now in progress.

The British Government has financed Canadian operations on the other side, while the Canadian Government has established imperial credits here. The only credit now operating is for the purchase of timber, though arrangements regarding the wheat crop are to be made. As the balance now stands, Great Britain owes Canada \$200,000,000, interest on which is being paid at 5 1/2 per cent.

Never judge a man's knowledge of human nature by the opinion he has of himself.



Everywhere, Everybody buys them...Why?



WITHOUT PURE BLOOD BEAUTY IS IMPOSSIBLE
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Awards Made to Canadian Women

The "Medaille de la Reine Elizabeth" has been awarded by King Albert of Belgium to two St. John Ladies, Mrs. Frank S. White and Mrs. Etherton Smith, in recognition of their generous and devoted services in behalf of the Belgian people during their time of tribulation.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County—
I, Frank J. Cheney make oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, Ohio and State of Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATHARTIC MEDICINE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A.D., 1918.
(Seal) A. W. Gleason, Notary Public.
HALL'S CATHARTIC MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surface of the System.
Druggists, 7c. Testimonial free.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Logic

Schoolboy: "Do you think the next train will be crowded?"
Porter: "It all depends how many there are in it."

Laws may be repealed, but it's different with oranges.

SATISFYING RELIEF FROM LUMBAGO

Sloan's Liniment has the punch that relieves rheumatic twinges.

This warmth-giving, congestion-scattering, circulation-stimulating remedy penetrates without rubbing right to the aching spot and brings quick relief, surely, cleanly! A wonderful help for external pains, sprains, strains, stiffness, headaches, lumbago, bruises.
Get your bottle today—costs little, means much. Ask your druggist for it by name. Keep it handy for the whole family. The big bottle is economy. 35c, 70c, \$1.40. Made in Canada.

Sloan's
Liniment
Keep it handy

When the Potato Is Poisonous
Several cases of poisoning from potatoes, the most recent being in Leipzig, have been reported. Perhaps it is not generally known that the green parts of potatoes contain a poison called solanine, 0.2 grammes of which is sufficient to produce bad results. There is always a minute quantity of this solanine in potatoes, but when these are mature never enough to do harm, unless they have sprouted and the sprouts have not been removed before cooking.

W. N. U. 1296

Western Horses in England

Alberta-Bred Horses Bring Big Prices in Britain

Thirty-four Percheron horses, bred by George Lane, of Calgary, Alberta, and recently shipped to England, have been sold at Easton, Suffolk, and realized £7,018, approximately \$35,000, an average of over \$1,000 each. Lord Minto bought a mare for 650 guineas, \$3,575, and Perfection, a stallion, winner three times in Canada this year, brought 550 guineas, \$3,025.

"SKIN THE CAT"

But if you won't exercise vigorously, you must take "Cascarets."

There is nothing like bending exercises, taking long walks, or chopping wood to keep the liver and bowels active, but most folks take their exercise in an easy chair. Such folks need Cascarets, else they suffer from sick headache, sour, acid stomach, indigestion, colds and are miserable. But don't stay bilious or constipated. Feel splendid always by taking Cascarets occasionally. They act without gripping or inconvenience. They never sicken you like Calomel, Salts, Oil or nasty, harsh pills. They cost so little too—Cascarets work while you sleep.

Suez Canal Is 50 Years Old

Realization of the Dreams of the Earliest Navigators of the Old World

Fifty years ago there began at Port Said on the shores of the Mediterranean Sea a five-day celebration to commemorate one of the greatest of engineering feats of all time—the completion of the Suez Canal. The history of that undertaking is the story of the realization of the dreams of the earliest navigators of the Old World. Ancient records tell of temporarily successful attempts to connect the Mediterranean and the Red Seas long before the time of Christ. But time and desert sands grassed the crude dredging of those days and left for the moderns the task of providing a permanent, direct water route from the Atlantic to the shore lands of the far East.

Landlady: Why are you so happy today?

Boarder: I think it is because I feel quite young in contrast with this chicken.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Old But Lively.

Supporting our contention that this Bolshevism is "old stuff," we quote Volvumia in Shakespeare's "Coriolanus," act four, scene one, line thirteen, to wit:

"Now the red pestilence strike all trades in Rome."

And occupations perish! — Little Rock, Ark., Democrat.

Manitoba's Mining Industry

Manitoba mines have to date yielded ore to the value of approximately \$9,000,000, according to a statement made before the Canadian Mining Institute. This is a very satisfactory production for a province where mining is still in its infancy. Of this amount, \$1,000,000 has been spent in construction of plants and refineries and in development. The report further states that "the spectacular discoveries in The Pas district are very gratifying, but the significant fact for mining men, and one that will prove more profitable in the long run, is the close proximity of immense dykes of low grade ore."

TAKE NOTICE

We publish simple, straight testimonials, not press agents' interviews, from well-known people.
From all over America they testify to the merits of MINARD'S LINIMENT, the best of Household Remedies.
MINARD'S LINIMENT CO., LTD.

There are 782 varieties of Arctic flowers which have but two colors, white and yellow.

Of people who are lame, 85 per cent. are affected on the left side.

Keeping Fit

BY DR. SAMUEL HAMILTON.



It is because of the war that the perfect physical man has all at once become the idol of the world. You can make of yourself, even rather late in life, almost anything you like. You are not going to get fit in one day, one month, or perhaps, a year, unless you take enough outdoor exercise to keep the circulation going and practice the athlete's first principle—to keep the system clean. He does not give his body a chance to absorb poisons. He not only takes his cold shower, after exercise, but he knows a cleansing of the intestines is important, and he takes occasionally a good regulator and liver cleanser, such as a dose of castor oil, or, what is much better, a tiny pill made up of May-apple, aloin and jalap, and sold by almost all druggists in the land as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

Keep the kidneys in good order also. Avoid too much meat, alcohol or tea. Drink plenty of pure water, preferably hot water, before meals, and drive the uric acid out of the system by taking "Anurio" (anti-uric-acid). This can be obtained at almost any drug store.

Send a bottle of water to the chemist at Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and you will receive free medical advice as to whether the kidneys are affected. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you suffer from backache, sick-headaches, dizziness, or twinges and pains of lumbago, rheumatism or gout; or sleep is disturbed two or three times a night. Take heed, before too late! Get Anurio (anti-uric-acid), for it will put new life into your kidneys and your entire system. Ask your nearest druggist for it or send Dr. Pierce ten cents for trial package of "Anurio."

Wood's Rheumatism

The Great English Remedy. Tones and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood in old veins. Cures Nervous Debility, Mental and Brain Fogy, Depression, Loss of Energy, Poliposition of the Heart, Failing Memory. Price \$1 per box, six for \$5. Sold by all druggists or mailed in plain box on receipt of price. Free pamphlet mailed free. THE WOOD MEDICINE CO., LONDON, ENGL. (Greatest Medicine.)

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MONEY ORDERS

A Dominion Express Money Order for five dollars costs three cents.

Honor For Mrs. Vanderbilt

The French Government has conferred the cross of the Knight of the Legion of Honor on Mrs. Vanderbilt for her devotion to French soldiers during the war. Mrs. Vanderbilt founded and personally directed several charitable organizations for disarmed French soldiers.

PILES

Do not suffer another day with itching, bleeding, protruding Piles. No surgical operation required. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once. Send for free trial. Sample box free if you mention this paper and enclose 1c. stamp to pay postage.

Fordson Tractor

SAVES TIME

Even if you can't get help, the Fordson is as good as an extra man on the place.

The Fordson speeds up your field work and gives you more time for other work about the farm.

It gives you power to run time-saving machines.

It does your heavy hauling, and does it fast.

It does away with night and morning chores about the horses.

Come in and see this time saver for yourself

Chas. B. Horsch, Dealer
Monitor Alberta

SCRAPS OF HUMOR



She Had a Heart.
"I never expected to see it."
"What?"
"Two suburbanites fighting over a cook."
"Which won?"
"The smaller of the two combatants. The cook couldn't stand to see a little man getting the worst of it, so she signed up on the spot for three weeks."

Spared.
"Did you get an interview with that foreign celebrity?"
"Yes," said the star reporter. "And he shook hands with me cordially when I left."
"What did he do that for?"
"I suspect he was grateful because I didn't ask him what he thought of America."

Not His Business.
"Have you covered that story of Penman, the novelist?" asked the editor.
"I have not, sir," was the reporter's reply.
"Were you not told to cover it?"
"Yes, sir, but it was not my business to cover his stories. I'm not a bookbinder, sir."

A HANDICAP.



"I wouldn't have my boy taught grammar at all, if I had my way."
"That's a strange idea. Why not?"
"I intend that he shall be a writer of popular songs."

Overwhelming Erudition.
Unto a massive book I cling
With stout and patient hand.
The more I try to read the thing
The less I understand.

Forging Ahead.
"I see there's a new three-story building going up on Main street."
"Yes," said the proud citizen. "And there's a four-story skyscraper planned for the opposite corner. Guess we'll soon begin to talk about Hicksville's 'canyon.'"

A Plunger.
"Was that young Brown I saw striking you for a loan? Why, I heard that only recently he fell into a fortune."
"That's so, but he fell into it so hard that he went right through it."

An Artist in Luck.
Doubt—"I got more than I expected for my last picture."
Friend—"Why, I thought your landlord agreed to take it in lieu of next month's rent."
Doubt—"Yes; but he raised my rent."
—London Tit-Bits.

Unfeeling Father.
"Have the Blithers named their new twins yet?"
"Yes, but they were not given the names applied to them by Mr. Blithers when they first arrived."
"What did he call the precious pair?"
"Trouble, and 'More of It.'—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Receipts for Hairpins.
Mrs. Styles—This paper says that in front of a large London building there was recently found a pigeon's nest made of hairpins. Where do you suppose the pigeons found the hairpins?
Mr. Styles—Oh, I suppose a lot of women in the vicinity couldn't keep their mouths shut.

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(Watch for dates in Monitor)

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In the Most Reliable Companies

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Everything You
Wish Yourself.

New Year 1920

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STONELAW U. F. A.

Stonelaw U.F.A. will hold their regular meetings as follows:-

First Friday in the month at Minor Schoolhouse and the 3rd Friday in the month at Stonelaw Schoolhouse.

FOR SALE

OAT SHEAVES for Sale. Apply to K. Matheson, 3233-34

FOR SALE—Hereford Bull-Bred from the best Registered white face Bull in the district from a grandson of "Perfection Fairfax" America's greatest Showbull. \$50 if you take one now.

H. J. McIntire

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FOR SALE—A Thoroughbred Short-horn Bull. Born, Coming 4 yr old. Splendid condition. For terms etc., Apply to F. H. HANSEN Monitor 50-1f u

FOR SALE or TRADE

FOR TRADE—One Percheron Stallion, 9 years old, weight 1600 lbs, to trade for cattle or Ford Car. COCHRAN, Kirriemuir 50 1f

FOR SALE—Pure-bred Rosecomb Rhode Island Red Cock ors, at \$2.00 H. J. McIntire, Monitor.

NOTICE

The School Secretary and others are requested to bring their accounts in to Monitor any day from January 5th to January 10th inclusive, to the Monitor Hotel,

C. Connah,
Official Auditor.

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